

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BEXP, UY  
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR RAILROAD TRACK STATISTICS

1. REPRESENTATIVES OF THE L.B. FOSTER COMPANY OF HOUSTON, TEXAS ARE CURRENTLY IN MONTEVIDEO CONSULTING WITH THE URUGUAYAN RAILROAD MONOPOLY (AFE). AFE HAS ISSUED A PUBLIC CALL FOR BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF RAILS WHICH THE U.S. FIRM BELIEVES IT CAN SUPPLY. THE SPECIFICATIONS STATE THAT AFE WILL CONSIDER OFFERS THAT PRESENT RAILS MANUFACTURED ON THE STANDARDS OF THE OFFERING COUNTRIES. THE FIRM HAS ASKED THE EMBASSY FOR ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING CERTAIN FACTS ABOUT RAILS USED IN THE UNITED STATES.

2. ACTION REQUESTED: EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING HOW MANY MILES OF RAILROAD TRACK USING 100 POUND PER YARD A.R.E. (AMERICAN RAILROAD ENGINEERS) STANDARDS ARE PRESENTLY INSTALLED IN THE UNITED STATES.  
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